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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A synchronization docking station for a handheld computer, comprising:

a data connection configured to communicate data from the docking station to the handheld computer; and

more than one expansion card connector coupled to the docking station and configured to communicate data between an expansion card and the docking station, the expansion card connector also configured to couple with a rechargeable battery pack for recharging,

wherein the docking station includes a datalink configured to communicate data to a personal computer, and the personal computer includes a program configured to read the content stored on the expansion card, the program comprising a user interface, the user interface having an expansion card indicating area and an expansion card content area, the interface enabling drag and drop functionality to transfer expansion card content from one card to another card, the docking station also providing recharging of a rechargeable battery pack coupled to the expansion card connector.

2. (Original) The synchronization docking station of claim 1, wherein the docking station is a synchronization cradle.

3. (Previously Presented) The synchronization docking station of claim 1, wherein the more than one expansion card connector is configured to communicate data between the expansion card and the handheld computer.

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4. (Previously Presented) The synchronization docking station of claim 1, wherein the more than one expansion card connector is disposed within an expansion card slot, the expansion card slot being integrated into the docking station.

5. (Cancelled)

6. (Previously Presented) The synchronization docking station of claim 1, wherein the data link is a wireless link.

7.-8. (Cancelled)

9. (Original) The synchronization docking station of claim 1, wherein the docking station includes a data link configured to communicate data to a communications network.

10. (Previously Presented) The synchronization docking station of claim 9, wherein the data link is a wireless link.

11. (Original) The synchronization docking station of claim 1, wherein the expansion card connector is configured to accept both secure digital (SD) cards and multimedia cards (MMCs).

12. (Cancelled)

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13. (Currently Amended) A system for storing and transferring data, comprising:
a mobile electronic device;
a personal computer; and
a synchronization cradle in communication with the personal computer and the mobile electronic device, the synchronization cradle including more than one receptacle for connecting an expansion card thereto, the more than one receptacle also configured to receive and provide power to a rechargeable battery pack for recharging,
wherein the personal computer includes a program configured to display the contents of an expansion card located in the at least one receptacle, the program comprising a user interface, the user interface having an expansion card indicating area and an expansion card content area, the interface enabling drag and drop functionality to transfer expansion card content from one card to another card, the synchronization cradle also providing power to a rechargeable battery pack when a rechargeable battery pack is coupled to at least one of the more than one receptacle.
14. (Cancelled)
15. (Previously Presented) The system for storing and transferring data of claim 13, wherein the handheld computer includes a program configured to display the contents of an expansion card located in one of the more than one receptacle.
16. (Original) The system for storing and transferring data of claim 13, wherein the mobile electronic device is a handheld computer.
17. (Original) The system for storing and transferring data of claim 13, wherein the mobile electronic device includes a cellular telephone transceiver.
18. (Previously Presented) The system for storing and transferring data of claim 13, wherein the more than one receptacle is configured to receive both secure digital (SD) cards and multimedia cards (MMCs).

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19. (Cancelled)

20. (Original) The system for storing and transferring data of claim 13, wherein the synchronization cradle is configured to communicate with the personal computer over a wireless link.

21. (Currently Amended) A computer system, comprising:

a communications bus;

a storage device coupled to the communications bus;

a memory coupled to the communications bus;

a processor coupled to the communications bus;

a synchronization cradle for a handheld computer, the synchronization cradle including more than one slot for accepting an expansion card and the synchronization cradle in communications with the communications bus, the more than one slot also configured for accepting a rechargeable battery pack; and

a program stored in the memory and running on the processor, the program configured to display to a user a listing of the contents of the expansion card, the program comprising a user interface, the user interface having an expansion card indicating area and an expansion card content area, the interface enabling drag and drop functionality to transfer expansion card content from one card to another card, the synchronization cradle also providing power to a rechargeable battery pack when a rechargeable battery pack is coupled to at least one of the more than one slots.

22. (Original) The computer system of claim 21, wherein the program is configured to display the name of files on the expansion card.

23. (Original) The computer system of claim 21, wherein the program is configured to display the size of files on the expansion card.

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24. (Original) The computer system of claim 21, wherein the program is configured to display the type of the files on the expansion card.

25. (Original) The computer system of claim 21, wherein the program is configured to display the date the file on the expansion card was last modified.

26. (Previously Presented) The computer system of claim 21, wherein the program is configured to identify all of the expansion cards received in the more than one slot.

27. (Previously Presented) The computer system of claim 21, wherein the more than one slot is configured to accept both secure digital (SD) and multimedia cards (MMCs).

28. (Original) The computer system of claim 21, wherein the program enables selective transferring of files between the expansion card and the storage device.

29. (Original) The computer system of claim 21, wherein the program enables selective transferring of files between the expansion card and the handheld computer.

30. (Previously Presented) The computer system of claim 21, wherein the program enables selective transferring of files between more than one expansion card in the more than one slot.

31. (Original) The computer system of claim 21, wherein the expansion card includes an input/output device.

32. (Original) The computer system of claim 31, wherein the expansion card is a SD input/output (SDIO) card.

33. (Original) The computer system of claim 31, wherein the input/output device is a camera.

34. (Original) The computer system of claim 31, wherein the input/output device is a MPEG3 (MP3) player.

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35. (Currently Amended) A method of exchanging digital files between a memory device and a computer, the method comprising:

- providing a synchronization device for a handheld computer, the synchronization device including more than one memory device connector;
- coupling a memory device to one of the memory device connectors;
- coupling a rechargeable battery pack to one of the memory device connectors;
- running a program on the computer, the program configured to provide a user interface used to transfer files, the program comprising a user interface, the user interface having an expansion card indicating area and an expansion card content area, the interface enabling drag and drop functionality to transfer expansion card content from one card to another card;
- dragging, on the user interface, a file in the content area associated with the memory device;
- dropping, on the user interface, a file in the content area associated with one of another memory device and the computer;
- reading the digital files on the memory device; ~~and~~
- transferring at least one digital file; and
- providing power to the rechargeable battery pack through one of the memory device connectors.

36. (Original) The method of claim 35, wherein the transferring step transfers a digital file between the computer and the memory device.

37. (Original) The method of claim 35, wherein the transferring step transfers a digital file between a first memory device and a second memory device.

38. (Original) The method of claim 35, further comprising:

- coupling a handheld computer to the synchronization device.

39. (Original) The method of claim 38, wherein the transferring step transfers a digital file between the handheld computer and the memory device.